## BEFORE THE FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

In the Matter of	) 2000 5011
	) ) RAD Referral
The Loose Group and	) RAD Referral
Frank G. Stevenson Jr., as	) #99NF-22
treasurer.	)

## CERTIFICATION

I, Mary W. Dove, Acting Secretary of the Federal Election Commission, do hereby certify that on July 13, 2000, the Commission decided by a vote of 6-0 to take the following actions in RAD Referral #99NF-22:

- 1. Open a MUR.
- 2. Find reason to believe that The Loose Group and Frank G. Stevenson Jr., as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. §§434(a)(4)(A)(iii) and (iv), and enter into conciliation prior to a finding of probable cause to believe.
- 3. Approve the Factual and Legal Analysis, proposed conciliation agreement and the appropriate letter, as recommended in the General Counsel's Report dated July 6, 2000.

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Commissioners Mason, McDonald, Sandstrom, Smith, Thomas, and Wold voted affirmatively for the decision.

Attest:

July 13, 2000

for Mary W. Dove

Acting Secretary of the Commission

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